



Parent Leaders for Little Learners

The Head Start Bureau has launched a **Parent-Mentor Training Program** in support of the President's *Good Start, Grow Smart Early Childhood Initiative*. Head Start Parent-Mentors will gain knowledge and strategies to help them work with their own children on language and literacy skills, as well as to mentor other parents to do the same for their children.

Specific information regarding the Parent-Mentor Training Program, applicant requirements, how to apply, and other general information can be obtained through the Parent-Mentor Training Program toll-free hotline **1-877-488-4888** or by visiting the Program web site **www.headstartinfo.org**.

Parents can apply to attend training to become Parent-Mentors until May 20, 2004. Parents who are selected to attend the training will be notified during the week of June 1, 2004.

List of training sessions by date:

Dates	Region	City
July 24-26	II	Jersey City
July 24-26 and July 27-29	V	Chicago
July 31-August 2	VII	Kansas City
July 31-August 2	IX	San Francisco
August 7-9	VIII	Denver
August 7-9	III	Philadelphia
August 11-13	I	Boston
August 11-13	X	Seattle
August 14-16 and August 17-19	IV	Atlanta
August 16-18	VI	Dallas

Parents from Migrant and Seasonal programs and American Indian and Alaska Native programs are to apply for the training event that is closest to their home.



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